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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Madam Examiner:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed on June 15, 2006. A three-month period was set for response. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner and requests a one-month Extension of Time, and herewith submits the appropriate fee. The Extension of Time extends from the period for response until October 16, 2006. The Applicant hereby requests reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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